

Using Glogster.com/EDU

A Glog is like a poster, only better. Glogs allow you to create an online poster using photographs, images, graphics, video files and sound files. Glogs allow you to add hyperlinks to other websites. When you use a Glog, you are referred to as a “glogger.”

The benefits of the Glogster Edu version are:

- **Students can't see content from the regular Glogster site when they are making Glogs in the EDU zone.**
- **You can embed your work in wiki pages.**
- **All Glogs made by students on the teacher page are PRIVATE.**
- **You can easily set up accounts for your students...just register for the EDU zone, fill in the number of student accounts and they will be created for you.**
- **Each teacher and all his students are connected as “friends”.**
- **You can see Glogs of your students on their profiles.**

Teachers, try education 2.0

Glogster is proud to present **Glogster.com/edu**, a NEW addition to the site for all your educational needs! This is just the first step in making education and technology more engaging for educators and students! We will continue to add more and more features and improvements to make sure all your educational needs are fulfilled! Feel free to give us any feed back that you think would make this site better for educators and students.

Why Glogster for education?

- 1** Glogster is also a perfect web 2.0 tool for your learning and your WIKIs
- 2** Glogster gives support and help with creating school accounts and keeping Glogs PRIVATE
- 3** Glogster brings updates based on your feedback. Glogster is Yours!

Glogster.com/edu

New tool for education

TRY TO CREATE A GLOG



Glogster Education Site

1. Go to <http://www.glogster.com/edu>
2. Click on **Register** in the upper right-hand side of the screen.

Register to EDU

Nickname:

Password:

Confirm password:

E-mail:

☐ Remember me on this computer.

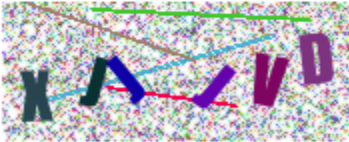
Gender: ☐ Female ☐ Male

Birthday:

Full name:

I live in:

Student's Accounts? ☐ How many?

Type the code shown: 

☐ I agree to the [terms of use and privacy policy](#)

3. Fill out online registration form. (**Nickname** is the same thing as screen name or login)
4. Check the "Student's Accounts" area to create student Glog accounts under your name.
You can create a maximum of 200. Make sure you create more than you need.

5. 4. Type the code from the code box in the box below the code.
5. Check the box beside **"I agree to the terms of use"**
6. Click **SIGN UP**.
7. You will be taken to your personal educational Glog page. You will also receive a reminder to check your email for a confirmation email from glogster.com. When you receive the email, click the **"confirm your account by clicking here"** link in the email to confirm your account. The student nicknames and passwords you created will also be in the e-mail. **MAKE SURE YOU DO NOT DELETE THIS E-MAIL. YOU WILL NEED THE STUDENT NICKNAMES AND PASSWORDS FOR YOUR STUDENTS TO CREATE THEIR GLOGS.**

YOUR CLASS GLOGSTER PAGE

Your profile (Edit your account)

jlink
 Online
 John Link
 Male
 0 years
 United States

Enter your mood...
 Something about you...

CREATE A NEW GLOG or **INVITE A FRIEND**

Glog Alerts
 COULD NOT LOAD MESSAGES.

Friends

Your Student Accounts →

- s055.ilink: 100 friends, 0 Glogs
- s027.ilink: 100 friends, 0 Glogs
- s059.ilink: 100 friends, 0 Glogs
- s023.ilink: 100 friends, 0 Glogs
- s015.ilink: 100 friends, 0 Glogs
- s071.ilink: 100 friends, 0 Glogs

BEFORE CLASS USE:

Hand out the student account nicknames and generated passwords.

STUDENT GLOGS

1. Students log in to <http://www.glogster.com/edu>.
2. Click on the LOG IN link in the upper-right corner of the page.

Register or **Log in**

3. Upon entering the Web site, the students should click on **Edit Your Account**.
4. When the EDIT YOUR ACCOUNT box opens, the students should type their full name in the text box. Although they cannot change their “nicknames”, if they do this, the student’s name will appear when the teacher clicks on the “nickname”. It’s a good idea to have a log where students can write their nickname next to their real name. Students can also change their password from the one created by Glogster. They should change it to one they remember.

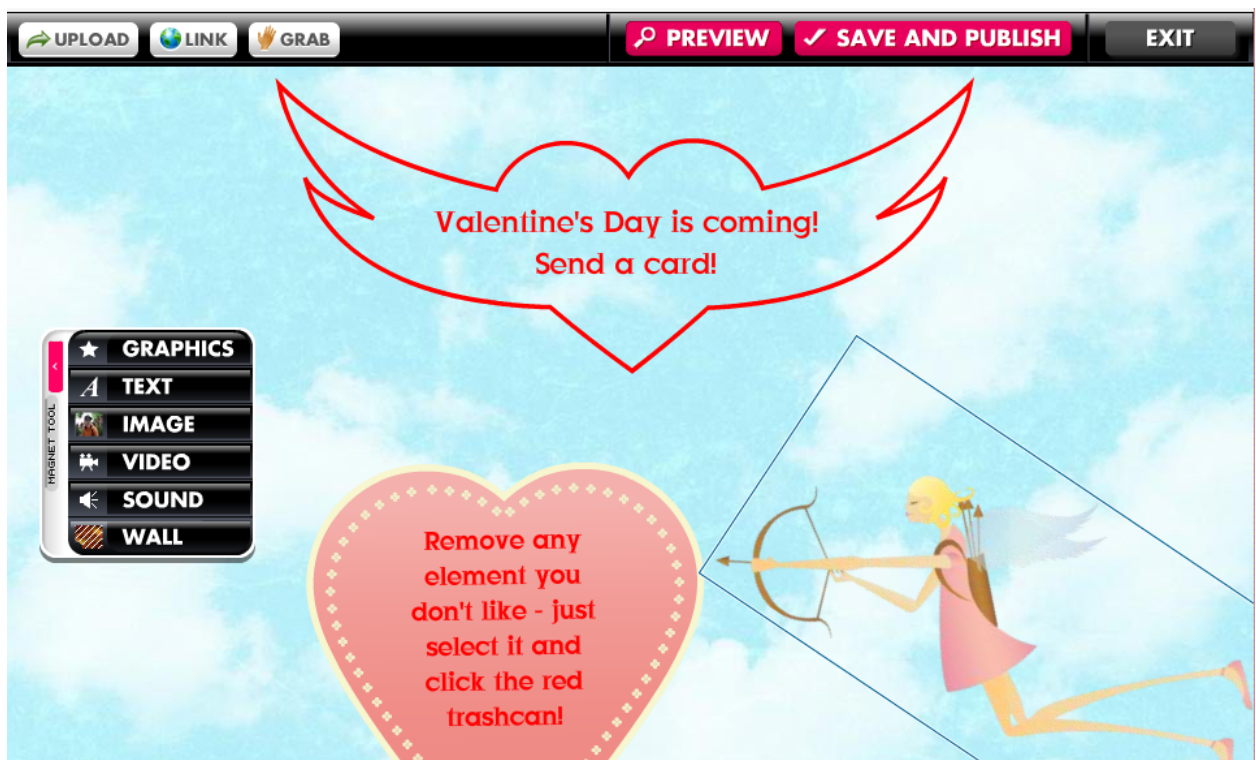
MAKING YOUR GLOG USING GLOGSTER

LOG IN:

1. Go to <http://www.glogster.com/edu>.
2. Click **LOG IN** in the upper-right corner.
3. Enter your given **NICKNAME** and **PASSWORD**.
4. Click **EDIT YOUR ACCOUNT** next to **Your Profile** in the upper-left portion of the screen.
5. Under **SETTINGS**, type your **first and last name** in the text. You don't have to enter any birth date, address, or address information).
6. Under **PASSWORD**, you can change your password to something you will remember. **(WRITE IT DOWN!)**

CREATE A GLOG:

When you open a new Glog, you will see an example.



To remove any elements you don't want to use in your Glog, click on element and then click on the **RED TRASH CAN**.

At the top of the Glog screen, there will be a rectangular box labeled “**Glog name**” next to it. When you first open your Glog, it is only identified with a Glog number. Click in the box and give your Glog a unique name.

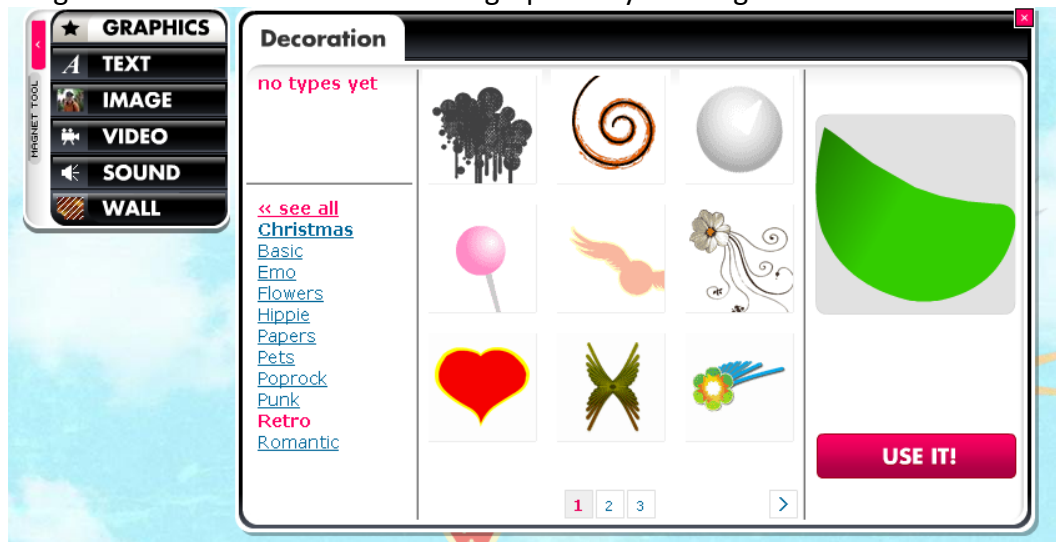
Glog name:

Backgrounds: To add a background, select “Wall” from the tool box. (The toolbox may be repositioned on the page as needed by sliding it.)

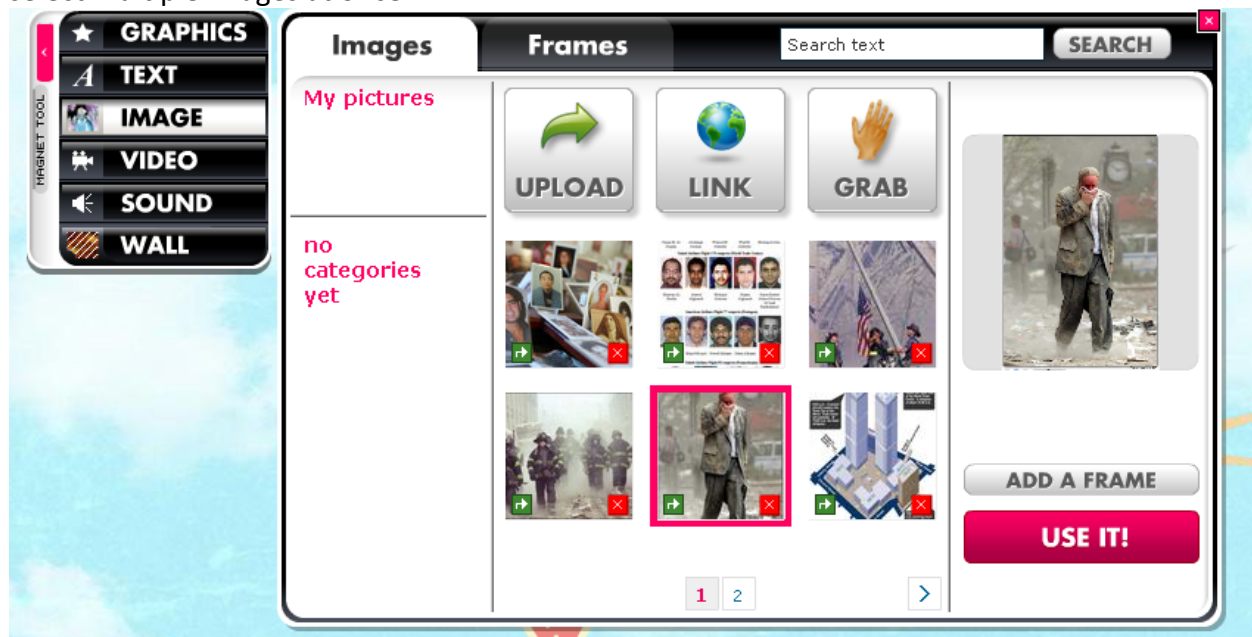


The **Page Wall tab** changes the color or pattern of the border outside of the Glog wall.

Graphics: Use the graphics button to include many of the decorative graphics provided by Glogster. Click on **USE IT!** to add the graphic to your Glog.



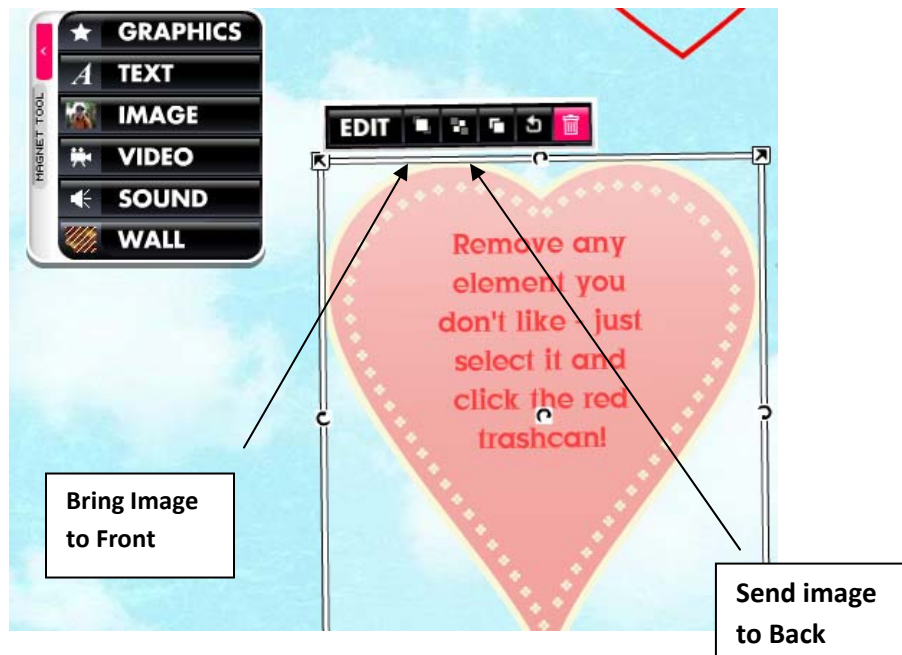
Images: Use the “Image” button from the toolbox to upload photos, pictures, sound files or video files. Click the “Upload” button and browse to the files on your network folder or flash drive. (It’s just like adding an email attachment.) Select the image you want and click “OPEN.” Your photos will be added to your online Glogster library. You may hold down the SHIFT key to select multiple images at once.



To add images to the Glog, select your image, and click “USE IT!” You may use it “as is” or you may add a frame by clicking the “**ADD A FRAME**” button. You will be able to try out and

select from a wide variety of frames. When you add your image, it always moves to the bottom of the screen. Locate it and drag it to the desired position. It is easy to move it to any location on the screen.

Move to Front, Move to Back: You may layer images on the screen by selecting an image and clicking. When the edit box opens above the image, use the first button after the “**Edit**” button to move an image to the front. Use the second button after the “**Edit**” button to move an image to the back.

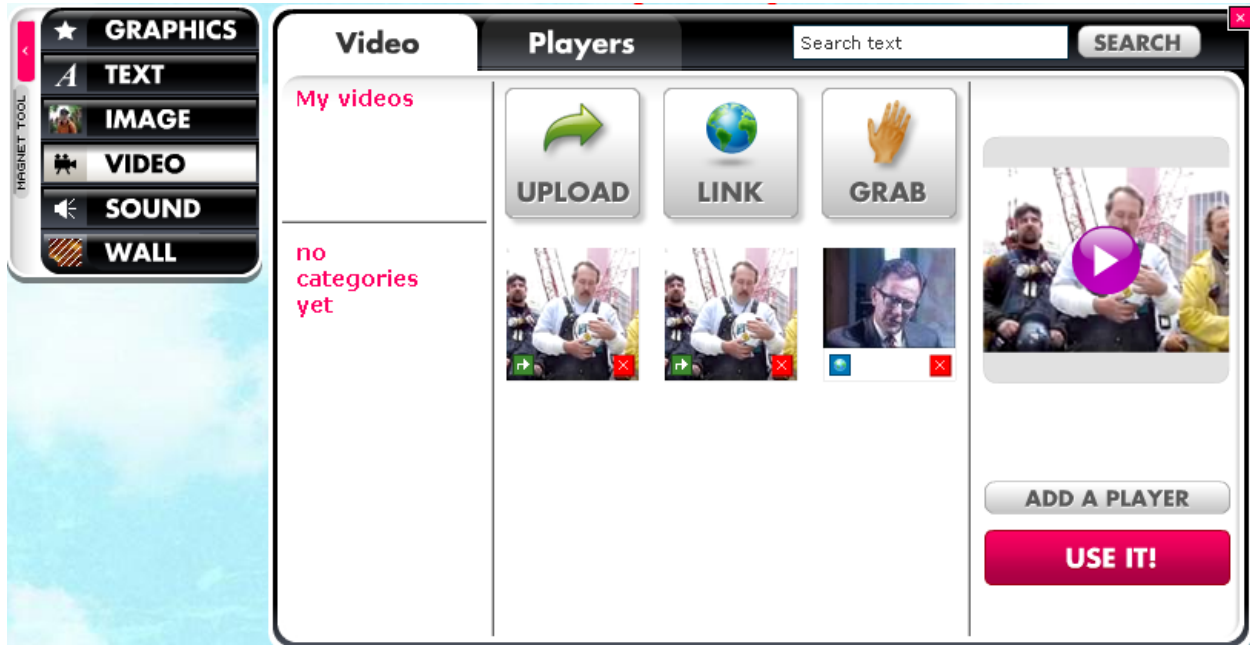


Edit Button: When you click the **EDIT** button, the tool bar changes to this:



The first button after OK lets you change the color of a graphic, the second button lets you insert a hyperlink, the third button enables **TEXT EDITING** and the fourth button lets you add **EFFECTS** to an image, graphic, or text, such as a shadow or making it more transparent. Click OK after you complete the editing to return to the previous tool bar.

Video: To add a video (such as *YouTube*) from the web, select the **VIDEO** tool and select either “**UPLOAD**” or “**LINK**.” If you have downloaded a video to your computer, choose “**UPLOAD**” and browse to the video just as if it were a photo. If the video is on the web, click “**LINK**.” The link screen will open and allow you to type or paste the URL for the video into the blank. Click “**ADD TO YOUR FILES**” and the video will be uploaded. (You will not be able to watch the video in the **edit mode**.)



You can also add a **PLAYER** to your video clip by selecting the **Player tab**, choosing a player, then selecting ADD PLAYER. If you click on the player, and then the EDIT box for the player, this tool bar will appear:



Use this to set your video player to play automatically when the Glog is opened

Text: To add text, select “**TEXT**” from the toolbar. You may choose a textbox (default), a title box, bubbles or stickers for your text. A wide variety of text boxes are available from each category. Select the textbox you want click “**USE IT.**” The textbox will appear on your screen.



Click “**Edit**” above the textbox to type text. Once you have typed your text, click the “**Ab1**” button on the menu to change the font size and style, or to bold, center, or add italics. The color chart button will allow you to change the font color. Color effects may be changed by the **fx** button.

TIP: To create a rectangular textbox, as in a title banner, choose “**TITLES.**” For a regular (square) textbox, use the default textbox. You can change the size of a textbox, but it will remain square. You cannot pull the sides to make it rectangular. To create text with no box or frame around it, choose “**Basic Text,**” “**Basic bubble**” or “**Basic Title.**” **Adjust the font size from the TEXT EDIT box so that all text is visible.**

Hyperlinks: You may add a hyperlink to text by using the “**link**” button. Click the “**Edit**” button, click the “**Link**” button and type the URL in the box. Click “**OK.**” To add a hyperlink to images, select the image by clicking on it. Click the “**Edit**” button. Then, click the “**Link**” button. Type in the URL and click “**Okay.**”



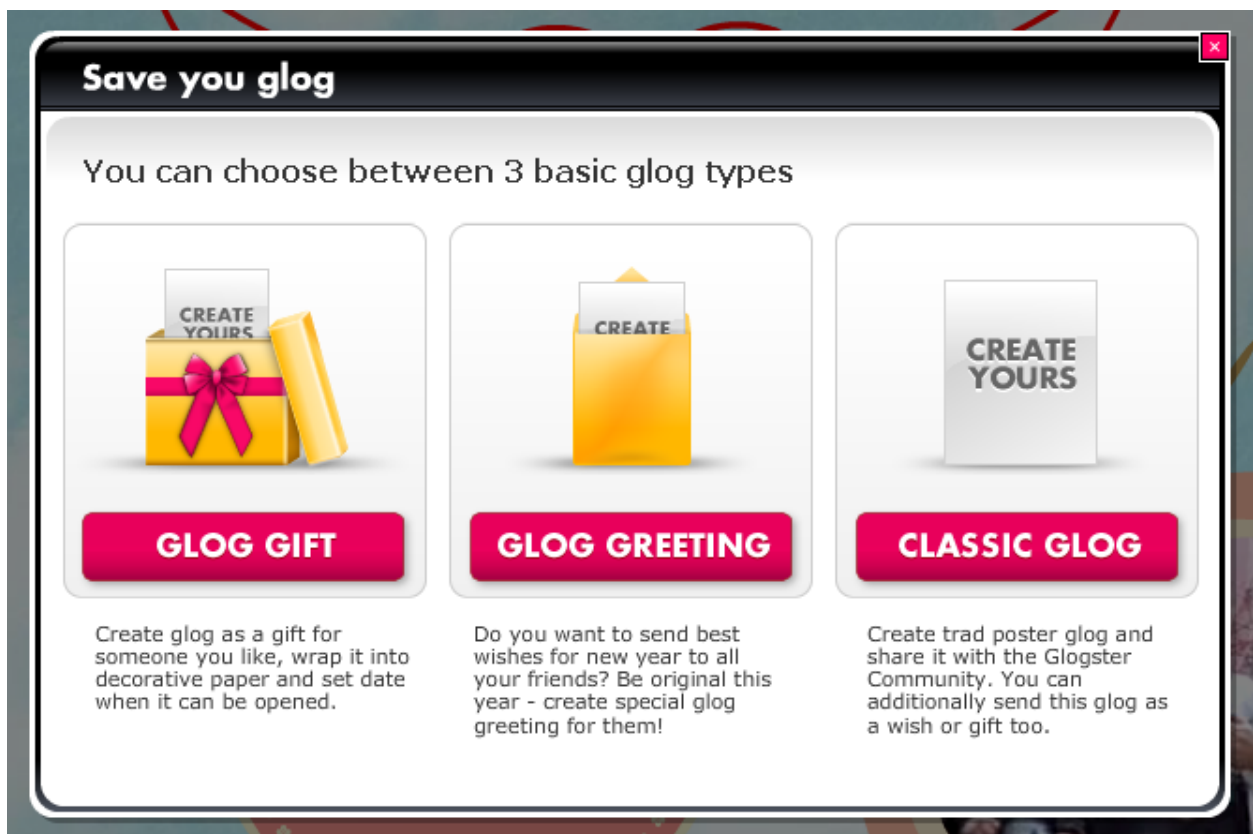
Hyperlink
Button

Sound or Music Files: Insert same as Video files. There is also an **AUTOPLAY** button for music files if you click on the EDIT button for the audio player and select the AUTOPLAY feature as you do for a video.

Saving Your Glog: save your Glog by using the “**SAVE AND PUBLISH**” button at the top or bottom of the screen.



The save screen will open. Select **CLASSIC GLOG**.



The next screen will appear.



Publish changes

Name of this Glog
glog-576

Address of this Glog **CHANGE**
<http://klsantillo.glogster.com/glog-576/>

Category

<input type="radio"/> Cars	<input type="radio"/> Fun and Entertainment	<input type="radio"/> Music
<input type="radio"/> Love	<input type="radio"/> Travel and Places	<input type="radio"/> Sports
<input type="radio"/> Friends and Family	<input type="radio"/> Scrapbooks and Journals	<input type="radio"/> Fashion and Style
<input type="radio"/> School	<input type="radio"/> Pets	<input type="radio"/> not set
<input type="radio"/> Art	<input type="radio"/> People	
<input type="radio"/> Celebrities	<input type="radio"/> Texts Letters and Poems	
<input type="radio"/> Movies	<input type="radio"/> Cartoon	

Tags

words that describe your Glog to make it easier for others to find it

Public
☒ Public ☐ Private

SAVE & PUBLISH

The dialog box features a preview on the right showing a blue sky background with a heart, a photo of a group of people, and a small text box. The 'Public' radio button is selected, and the 'SAVE & PUBLISH' button is prominent at the bottom right.

Double-check to be sure that you have named your blog. If not, give it a unique name. Under **“Category”**, check **“School.”** Click to save your Glog to **Public**. Click **SAVE**.